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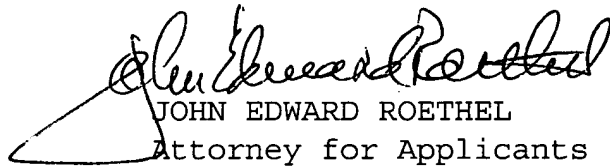
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Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.17(b), the fee for filing this Notice of Appeal is \$165.00 and my check in that amount is enclosed. Applicants are a small entity and the claim for small entity status has already been made.

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